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Re:

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For: System And Method For Handling Load And/Or Store Operations In

A Superscalar Microprocessor

Inventors:

BRASHEARS et al.

Our Ref:

SP036.C10 (1397.012000A)

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for appropriate action are the following documents:

- 1. PTO-2038 Credit Card Payment Form for \$180.00 to cover the IDS fee;
- 2. Statement of Substance of Interview under 37 CFR § 1.133;
- 3. Fifth Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement;
- 4. Form PTO-1449 listing ONE (1) document (1) page; and
- 5. One (1) return postcard.

It is respectfully requested that the attached postcard be stamped with the date of filing of these documents, and that it be returned to our courier. In the event that extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this patent application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned.

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Respectfully submitted,

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## Statement of Substance of Interview under 37 CFR § 1.133

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Sir:

Further to the Interview Summary mailed with Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due on February 4, 2005, Applicants submit the following statement of the substance of the telephonic interview conducted between the Examiner and the undersigned on December 23, 2004 and January 2, 2005 in compliance with 37 CFR § 1.133.

During the interview of December 23, 2004, the Examiner explained the applicability of double patenting to the claims remaining on the record in addition to the already-applied double patenting rejection set forth in the Office Action of August 20, 2004. In response, on January 5, 2005, Applicants filed a Terminal Disclaimer to Obviate a Double Patenting Rejection Over a "Prior" Patent and a Terminal Disclaimer to Obviate a Provisional Double Patenting Rejection Over a Pending "Reference" Application.

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During the subsequent interview of January 2, 2005, the Examiner discussed with Applicants an issue concerning the language format of the pending claims. In response, Applicants filed a Supplemental Amendment and Reply Under 37 C.F.R. §1.111 on January 19, 2005, amending certain claims.

The Examiner is invited to contact the Applicant's undersigned representative at the number provided with any inquiries regarding this Statement.

Respectfully submitted,

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